

Please Do Not Enter  
4/21/06  
VBS



Corres. and Mail  
BOX AF

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2616

Attorney Docket No. 09792909-5031

PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:

**Hiroshi Utsunomiya, et al.**

Application No. 09/852,485

Filed: May 10, 2001

For: METHOD FOR SENDING INFORMATION ON  
A NETWORK, AND ELECTRONIC  
INFORMATION EQUIPMENT

) Group Art Unit: 2616  
)

) Examiner: Vincent F. Boccio  
)

I hereby certify that this document is being deposited  
with the United States Postal Service as first class mail  
in an envelope addressed to: MAIL STOP AF,  
Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria,  
VA 22313-1450 on April 10, 2006.

  
Marina N. Saito

MAIL STOP AF  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**RESPONSE TO JANUARY 11, 2006 FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, this Amendment is submitted in response to the Final Office Action mailed January 11, 2006. Applicants respectfully request amendment of the application, and reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims.